

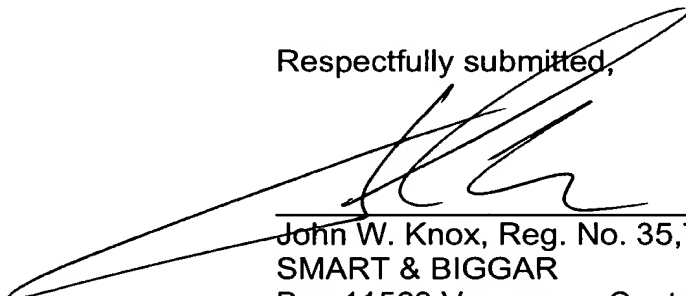
Lines 6 and 7, delete "positions corresponding to possible bit combinations of a bit string having a length producing a Prefix Node Bit Array (PNBA) having a plurality of bit"; line 13, delete "of said possible bit combinations".

### REMARKS

The above amendments are editorial only. No new subject matter has been added.

The amendments to page 33 and claims 44 and 69 serve to align the description and claims, relating to the subject matter for determining a next page, with the remainder of the description which assumes the counting of pages begins at 1, instead of 0, as was assumed in the text on page 33 and in claims 44 and 69 as filed.

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